

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: KEITARO YONEZAWA ET AL.

SERIAL NO.: 10/541,239

GROUP ART UNIT: 3723

FILED: July 1, 2005

EXAMINER: WILSON, Lee D.

FOR: ALIGNING DRIVE MECHANISM AND
POSITIONING APPARATUS HAVING THIS
MECHANISM

ATTY. REFERENCE: YONE3016/JJC/PMB

**REITERATED REQUEST FOR PARTIAL REFUND OF FEE
UNDER 37 CFR 1.28 (SMALL ENTITY)
AND REITERATED CLAIM OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS**

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A reiterated request for a refund of one-half of the full fee paid on July 1, 2005 is respectfully requested. The original request for a refund was made on September 15, 2005, which is within three months of the payment on July 1, 2005, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.28. A copy of the original request for refund and the OIPE stamped postcard receipt are submitted herewith. Our records do not reflect that the refund has been paid to our deposit account listed below. Further, the Patent Application Information Retrieval database does not list the request for a refund in the image file wrapper.

Accordingly, this reiterated request for a refund and reiterated claim of small entity status is hereby filed.

The full fees previously paid (including dates of payment) for which a partial refund is requested include:

Filing Fee of \$2,110.00 filed on July 1, 2005

Applicant hereby claims entitlement to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 as:

☐ Independent Inventor
☒ Small Business

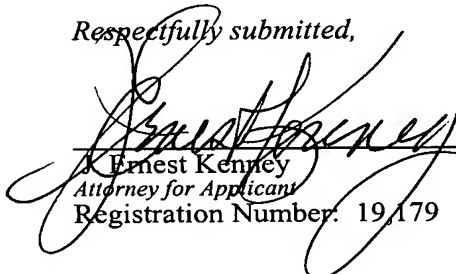
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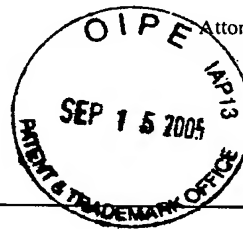
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The PTO stamp hereon acknowledges receipt of:

- ☐ Amendment ☐ Missing Parts Response w/Decl. ☒ Request for Refund
- ☐ Check ☐ Appeal Brief (Triplicate) ☐
- ☐ Issue Fee ☐ Priority Documents(s) ☐ Assignment, including cover sheet and fee of \$
- ☐ Second Preliminary Amendment ☐ Notice of Appeal
- ☐ Extension of Time Petition ☐ Substitute Declaration
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer ☐ Information Disclosure Stmt. ---- ☐ w/refs.
- ☐ Reply Brief (Triplicate) ☐ Request for CPA
- ☐ Sheets of Drawings - ☐ Sm. Entity Statements -- ☐ Inv. ☐ Sm. Bus. ☐ Non-Inv. ☐ Non-Profit
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A refund of one-half of each full fee paid within the past three months in the above-identified application is requested, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.28.

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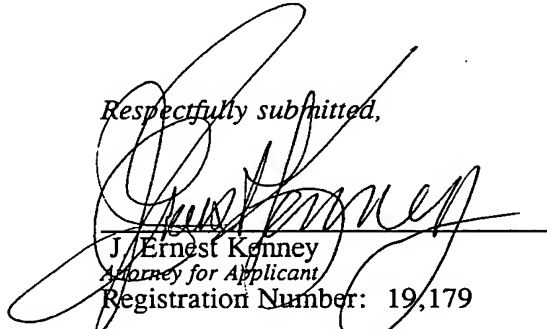
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